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5 An apparatus, clustered computer system, program product and method rely on
cluster-private group names to perform accesses to groups that are resident in a
clustered computer system. Thus, for a cluster-accessible group, all nodes capable of
participating in a cluster are configured to map to the same cluster-private group name
for that group, so that any external user that has access to the clustered computer
10 system can access the group name and utilize the group name to initiate operations by
the group.